UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	
NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION,	
Plaintiff,	
VS	
CONSOLIDATED RAIL CORPORATION; THE KING SERVICE, INC.; UNITED STATES STEEL COMPANY; EDWIN D. KING; LAWRENCE KING; RICHARD B. SLOTE; CHEVRON U.S.A., INC.; PORTEC, INC.; and AMERICAN PREMIER UNDERWRITERS, INC.;	5:98-CV-1039
Defendants.	
CHEVRON, U.S.A., INC.,	
Third-party Plai vs	ntiff,
THE COUNTY OF RENSSELAER; and THE COU OF RENSSELAER SEWER DISTRICT NO. 1,	JNTY
Third-party Defendants.	
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DAVID N. HURD United States District Judge

ORDER

On May 10, 2005, the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit issued a Mandate remanding this matter for consideration in light of <u>Cooper Industries v.</u>

<u>Aviall Services</u>, __ U.S. __, 125 S. Ct. 577 (2004). The Mandate was filed on May 16, 2005.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that

- 1. Any interested defendant may file and serve a brief on this issue not to exceed ten pages in length on or before June 17, 2005;
- 2. Plaintiff may file and serve a responsive brief not to exceed ten pages in length on or before July 15, 2005;
 - 3. No reply briefs will be permitted; and
- 4. Oral argument will be heard at the United States Courthouse, 10 Broad Street, Utica, New York, at 10:00 a.m. on August 12, 2005.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: May 26, 2005 Utica, New York. United States District Judge